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Sir:

We filed the above application with the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 23, 2006. As of this date, we have not received a first Office Action from the Patent Office. Kindly

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Respectfully Submitted.

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